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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR §1.56 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97 and §1.98, the following information is brought to the attention of the Examiner for his consideration during the examination of the instant application.

The first listing of documents, immediately below, is brought to the attention of the Examiner as being relevant for reasons cited by Applicants on June 18, 2002 in parent application No. 10/089,151:

- U.S. Patent No. 3,839,080 (JAREMA et al.), issued October 1, 1974;
- U.S. Patent No. 4,964,825 (PACCORET et al.), issued October 23, 1990;

German Patent Publication No. 28 29 380 (MARKER), published January 17, 1980;  
German Patent Publication No. 29 35 529 (FRANZ et al.), published March 19, 1981;  
German Patent Publication No. 43 06 671 (BURGER), published September 8, 1994.

The next listing of documents, immediately below, is brought to the attention of the Examiner as being relevant for reasons cited by Applicants on March 12, 2003 in parent application No. 089,151 (both having been cited in the parent application by application number; they have now issued as patents, as noted below):

U.S. Patent No. 6,669,519 (METROT), issued December 30, 2003;

U.S. Patent No. 6,692,321 (METROT), issued February 17, 2004.

The following document, identified immediately below, is brought to the attention of the Examiner as being relevant for reasons cited by Applicants on September 3, 2003 in parent application No. 089,151:

U.S. Patent No. 6,561,118 (MEAD), issued May 13, 2003.

The next listing of documents, immediately below, is brought to the attention of the Examiner as being relevant for having been cited by the Examiner on December 10, 2002 in parent application No. 10/089,151:

U.S. Patent No. 3,429,758 (YOUNG), issued on February 25, 1969;

U.S. Patent No. 3,514,798 (ELLIS), issued on June 2, 1970;

U.S. Patent No. 4,118,814 (HOLTOM), issued on October 10, 1978.

The following document, identified immediately below, is brought to the attention of the Examiner as being relevant for having been cited by the Examiner on September 2, 2003 in parent application No. 089,151:

U.S. Patent No. 5,489,228 (RICHARDSON et al.), issued February 6, 1996.

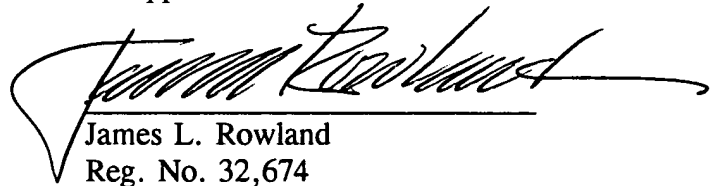
Copies of the above-mentioned documents can be found in parent application No. 10/023,987 and, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.98 and MPEP §609, copies are not attached. However, if the Examiner were to request copies, Applicants will provide same.

In addition, the above-mentioned documents are listed on the attached PTO-1449 forms to permit the Examiner to indicate his or her consideration thereof.

The Examiner is requested to consider the above-mentioned documents and to confirm such consideration by appropriately initialling the listings on the PTO-1449 forms and returning copies of the initialled forms to Applicants.

Any comments or questions concerning this application can be directed to the undersigned at the telephone or fax number given below.

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